

What's in Ffenics v 1.24 Quickfix

Introduction

This release contains a miscellaneous selection of fixes to problems reported by customers.

Changes

General Fixes:

- Record entry locking now works as billed. This should also result in faster document loading and procedure execution on a network.
- Input Using now works again (inadvertently broken in 1.23).
- 'Clear Form' no longer accidentally displays first record if there is a current selection.
- Rounding errors when small numbers (few places to the left of the decimal) were the result of a calculation involving larger numbers are fixed.
- Behaviour of Mod function now matches Excel.
- Length calculations of number fields adjusted to avoid losing rightmost digit from display when there is a decimal point. **Note** – *if a floating point field displays something like 3f instead of the expected number it is telling you the field is too short to display the number by, in this case, 3 digits.*
- More consistent behaviour in the responses to the 'no matching records' dialog.
- 'Unsaved Data' dialog now defaults to 'OK' .
- 'Backup/Restore' dialog buttons now respond correctly.
- Right Button Click now no longer causes actions to be fired twice (it shouldn't have even fired them once!).

- 'Install a single item' dialog now works correctly with document names > 31 in length.
- Procedures now prefixes with P: rather than S: in various lists.
- The /t... command line options to override network settings now work.
- Spurious 'Error 1' messages in various places suppressed. (It is a valid error message; it was just at times appearing when it shouldn't have done).
- Chain documents now exit the application correctly if they are the user's startup document.
- No longer do we try to open a style sheet for a style of <none>...

Release Notes:

The following known problems remain:

- The cutting and pasting of image fields is broken.
- The concatenate option in Document Print Options for Converter output remains unavailable.
- The Relationships form needs adjustment to fit better on an 800x600 screen.
- The parameter to Help Search doesn't work – see MS article KB241381
- The default delimiter is not set correctly for CSV type on import/export screen (when first in).
- The 2000 table limit in OLEDB / ODBC remains. The process for creating a native form from a remote table needs to be simplified.
- Convert to DQL does not always produce DQL that conforms to best-practice syntax rules – in rare cases this results in scripts that need editing before they produce correct results.
- The '+' boxes in the catalog that indicate more information quite often appear when there is no more information – this is a Windows misfeature.
- Using a chain document as a startup document is incompatible with the 'don't close application if document open' application preference.